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Upper Quihi News.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Saathoff and Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Brucks and son, Stanley, of Verdina, paid Hondo a call Tuesday.

Mrs. Fritz Martin of Hondo, returned home Sunday after spending the week with her sister, Mrs. H. L. Schuele.

Messrs. S. H. and Jacob Saathoff and Edgar Balzen made a business trip to Hondo Saturday.

Messrs. Fritz Droucourt and Gus. Schriener of Castroville, are in the neighborhood shelling corn.

Quite a number from here attended the colored minstrel show in Hondo Monday night. We noticed C. A. Oefinger and family, John Schuele and family, Fritz Balzen and family, A. Eckhart and family and Ben Balzen and wife.

Otto Balzen and Elwin Schulte attended the singing at New Fountain Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Britsch and son, Emil, Mrs. W. Britsch and baby and Tom Newmann from Vandenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Horn from Quihi spent Sunday with Mr. H. B. Balzen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Heyen visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Oefinger Tuesday at the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schweers were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schweers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Balzen were the guests of homefolks in Bader Settlement last Thursday.

Miss Bettie Frericha, of Hondo, is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. E. J. Oefinger.

Mrs. Annie Saathoff of Green Hill, visited her mother Tuesday, Grandma Oefinger, who is down with the la-grippe the last few days.

Walter Fuos autored to Hondo Sunday evening.

Misses Frieda Balzen, Bettie Frericha, Della and Bertha Oefinger were shopping in Hondo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schulte of Bader Settlement, visited Joe Balzen and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Balzen visited Mr. and Mrs. John Reitzer Sunday.

Mrs. Louis Britsch of Vandenberg was the guest of relatives here Monday.

E. A. Balzen and sister, Dora, autored to San Antonio Sunday morning returning in the evening.

Adolf Haby motored over from Dan-lay Sunday evening.

Mrs. Bando Joiras had as her guest last week her sister, Mrs. Charlie Richardson and children of Floresville.

Miss Dora Balzen and brother, Alvin, were shopping in Hondo Monday.

O. J. Bader and sister, Miss Mary, of Hondo, visited friends here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Saathoff and two children, and Miss Della Saathoff left last Thursday for Marlin Wells.

Mrs. Andrew Schuele after being on the indisposed list for the last few months is much improving at this writing.

E. W. Balzen motored to Castroville Monday.

A READER.

Farm Loan Association.

Agreeable to the request of a number of interested farmers, it is hereby announced that there will be a meeting held here at two o'clock Monday afternoon, February 12th, for the purpose of organizing a Federal Loan Association. The object of this Association is to enable the members of the same to secure six-per cent farm loans from the newly created Federal Farm Loan Bank of Houston, Texas. Only farmers can belong and only such farmers as wish to secure loans under the law's provisions are eligible to membership.

The object of the Association and its manner of doing business will be thoroughly explained and if enough are interested an organization will be effected. Keep the date and hour in mind and attend, whether you want to be a borrower or not.

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Finger Amputated.

Some six weeks ago Will Miller knocked a small piece of skin off the knuckle of the middle finger of his left hand. It was such a trivial injury that he thought nothing of it, but went on about his work as usual. About a week later his finger began to give him trouble, but beyond tying it up to protect it against the cold he still paid out little attention to it, thinking it would heal. The finger continuing to grow worse he finally consulted a physician, but despite all that could be done the injured finger gradually grew worse—in fact, got into such a condition that the only thing to do to arrest the alarming symptoms developed in the wound was to amputate the finger. This was done last Friday evening, the amputation being made at the wrist. We are pleased to state that the wound is now healing nicely and the physicians apprehend no further difficulties unless some complication not anticipated develops.

Sabinal 19; Hondo 21.

The girls' basket ball team went to Sabinal last Saturday and defeated that team 21 to 19. The game was called at 3:30 and Hondo made the first goal within the first two minutes of play. Sabinal had us bested for the remainder of the first half at the end of which the score stood 14 to 6 in Sabinal's favor. Hondo rallied in the last half and by hard, consistent playing brought the score up to a tie when the last whistle was blown. The next goal was pitched by Laura Grell, this winning the game for Hondo. The best playing for Hondo was done by the guards in the second half holding Sabinal to only five points.

The line-up follows:
Sabinal: Forwards—Marie Campbell, and Ruby Nance. Guards—Emma Owens and Verdi Ford. Centers—Alta Isom and Gladys Kennedy.

Hondo: Forwards—Isabel Schneider and Laura Grell. Guards—Nora Karer and Kathleen Lynch. Centers—Octavia Davis and Bessie Brucks. Substitutes: Hondo—Bessie Earnest for Kathleen Lynch. Referee—Mrs. O. W. Peters. Umpire—J. E. Matthews.

Troops to Pass Through.

There is but little doubt that Hon'o will be in the hands of the United States Army next Wednesday evening February 7th. Postmaster Chancey has been advised that the Third United States Artillery composed of four hundred officers and enlisted men, with 500 animals, will camp here on the night of February 7th. This, undoubtedly will be the largest body of troops that has ever been here at one time. The captain, in his communication to Mr. Chancey, says the body will require fifteen acres for a camp site, and that they desire to pitch their camp near the freight depot as possible on account of hauling. An advance party to select a camp site will be here between now and the time scheduled for the arrival of the main body of the troops.

Neitenhoefer-Saathoff.

In the presence of a few intimate friends the Lutheran church was the scene of a pretty wedding Wednesday morning when Mr. Robert Neitenhoefer and Miss Olga Saathoff were joined in the bonds of wedlock, the Rev. A. Falkenburg, pastor of the church officiating.

Both the bride and groom are members of the most prominent families of this section.

After receiving the congratulations of friends they took the morning train for points east on a bridal trip.

To the happy young couple the Anvil Herald, in connection with a host of other friends, wishes them a most joyous wedded life.

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D. W. SHORT.

Poll Tax Receipts.

Tax Collector Joe Ney has kept the following data on the poll-tax receipts issued in 1915 and 1916:

PRECINCT	1915	1916
1 N. Hondo	178	176
2 Quihi	119	116
3 Dunlay	49	46
4 Verdina	21	21
5 Riomedina	51	64
6 Castroville	173	172
7 D'Hanis	170	164
8 Haass	11	11
9 Natalia	41	35
10 E. Devine	68	65
11 Black Creek	37	33
12 Yancey	86	92
13 Cliff	27	37
14 Biry	31	37
15 Lacoste	95	96
16 S. Hondo	216	208
17 Upper Hondo	19	25
18 Elstone	21	27
19 West Devine	141	142
Total	1559	1567
Exemptions	61	59
Total voters	1620	1620

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas in the providence of God, we are called to mourn the death of our sister and co-worker, Mrs. Lillie Neuman, who departed this life December 21, 1916.

Whereas, through all the years that have followed her life in our midst, has abided as a blessing and inspiration to her family, to her church and to the W. C. T. U., therefore be it

Resolved, 1. That we deeply de-

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plore the loss in her death, and do hereby tender our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family and pray the blessings of God upon them in this their sad hour of sorrow.

2 We commend to her grief stricken husband and children our Heavenly Father, who alone can heal their broken hearts, and to say like David of old, "She cannot come back to us, but by the graces of God we will go to her."

3. That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the W. C. T. U. a copy sent to the bereaved family, and a copy sent to the Anvil Herald.

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MRS. J. A. HORGER,
MRS. J. R. CHANCEY.

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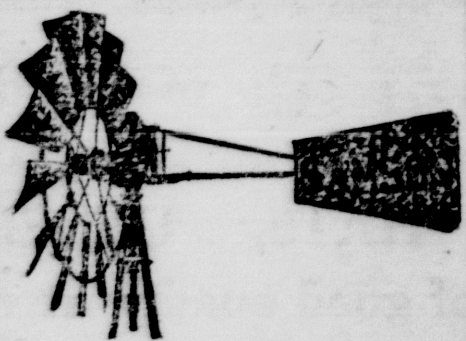
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5:00 a. m.	4:20 p. m.	11:40 a. m.	11:35 p. m.
6:30 a. m.	5:00 p. m.	11:00 a. m.	10:45 p. m.
7:30 a. m.	6:45 p. m.	9:40 a. m.	8:40 p. m.
10:35 a. m.	9:45 p. m.	6:25 a. m.	5:10 p. m.
11:30 a. m.	10:35 p. m.	5:30 a. m.	4:05 p. m.

Parlor cars on Nos. 1 and 2, between San Antonio and Corpus Christi. Sleepers on Nos. 3 and 4, between San Antonio and Brownsville, via Odem and St. L., B. & M.

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Posted.

All parties caught hunting in either of our pastures will be prosecuted.

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11-4m.

Posted.

Our pastures are posted. Hunting with guns or dogs therein is strictly forbidden.

17-4mo. CHAS. GRAFF AND SONS.

Posted.

My pastures are posted. All hunting or otherwise trespassing therein is strictly forbidden.

19-3mo. J. D. SMITH.

BOASTFUL IGNORANCE

By DR. SAMUEL G. DIXON
Health Commissioner of Pennsylvania

The boastfulness of ignorance is ordinarily not worthy of comment, but when it jeopardizes the health of other people, it is perhaps worth while to take up the cudgels.

There is a class of individuals who pooh-pooh all warnings regarding matters of hygiene, and usually end their assertions by informing you that their grandfathers never paid any attention to "such nonsense," and what's more they never have, and here they are alive and well to show for it. Statistics, however, show that these people who violate the laws of nature often meet an untimely death. Unfortunately, some give an ear to such foolish boasting and run headlong into danger.

The transmission of disease by germs is most frequently attacked by the ignorant. Those people who accept without comment the statement that the world revolves upon its axis as a part of the solar system, and thousands of other things which they are incompetent to work out for themselves, will bluster about the absurdity of germs causing disease. That typhoid fever, diphtheria, yellow fever, tuberculosis, anthrax, malaria and pneumonia are caused by germs has been proven, just as definitely as the fact that the world is round.

Fortunately, exposure to disease, even of a communicable type does not always mean that the individual so exposed will contract it. This is the reason that the booster

"May boast and stay
And live to boast another day."

A Little Bit of Everything.

The destruction of birds costs this country \$1,000,000,000 a year, it is estimated.

All white garments should be hung in the sunlight; colored garments in the shade.

The working force of the British navy, afloat and ashore, includes more than 1,000,000 men.

New tinware will never rust if rubbed with fresh lard and baked in the oven before being used.

It has been estimated that every square mile of the ocean is inhabited by 120,000,000 living beings.

Among the students at the famous English preparatory school, Eton, this term, are 18 Belgians, including Prince Leopold, the eldest son of King Albert.

Of a staff of 2,000, 752 clerks of the British railway clearing house have enlisted and 342 have attested under the Derby plan. In the post office 75,990 of a possible 85,000 have enlisted or attested.

The state of Bahia, one of the largest and most important of the Union of Brazil, occupies an area four-fifths the size of France, and has a population estimated at 2,500,000, of which the capital, the city of Bahia, contains 310,000. Its coast line of 635 miles is longer than that of any other state in Brazil and the great Sao Francisco river is navigable for 620 miles within the state.

Limited Practice.

The lecturer spoke slowly, almost painfully, as one not accustomed to talking.

"Not much of a speaker," observed a man in the gallery.

"No wonder," replied the occupant of an adjoining seat. "He's been married for more than thirty years."

The Aftermath.

Omar—Didn't I see Doctor Dostem's machine at your door yesterday?

Heinie—You probably did.

Omar—Anything serious?

Heinie—I should say so. He wanted to collect a bill I have owed him for nearly two years.

Strictly Private.

"It does seem strange," said the plain but wealthy maid, "that of all women in the world, you should love me alone."

"Nothing remarkable about matter of fact youth. You certainly don't expect me to make a fool of myself in public."



Words From Home.

Statements That May Be Investigated
Testimony of Hondo Citizens.

When a Hondo citizen comes to the front, telling his friends and neighbors of his experience, you can rely on his sincerity. The statements of people residing in far away places do not command your confidence. Home endorsement is the kind that backs Doan's Kidney Pills. Such testimony is convincing. Investigation proves it true. Below is a statement of a Hondo resident. No stronger proof of merit can be had.

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Bids For Medina County Depository.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received from Banking Corporations, Associations, and individual banks, in Medina County, desiring to be selected as the DEPOSITORY OF THE FUNDS OF MEDINA COUNTY.

under the terms of the act of the 29th Legislature, of Texas, and amendments thereto, providing for county depositories. All proposals must comply in all respects with the terms of said act or acts, and a certified check for \$200.00 must accompany each bid, all checks of unsuccessful bidders to be immediately returned to such bidder, and check of successful bidder to be returned to said bidder upon his entering into a good and sufficient bond as required by law governing county depositories, and in case of failure to enter such bond, said sum of \$200.00 to be forfeited to Medina County as liquidated damages. Said bond to be given within five days after acceptance by the county of such bid. The bid to be addressed to R. J. Noonan, County Judge of Medina County, Texas, at Hondo, Texas, and must be in my hands by 10 o'clock A. M. on the 12th day of February, A. D. 1917, on which day they will be presented to the commission court for approval or rejection, as provided by law.

Witness my official signature, at Hondo, Texas, this 16th day of January, A. D. 1917.

25 31. R. J. NOONAN,
County Judge Medina County, Texas.

Rainfall at Hondo.

Judge Herman E. Haass, who is the government weather observer at this point, has kept a record of the annual rainfall for the past several years.

Below we give the figures from the time he began keeping them:

Total rainfall 1899	23 17.
Total rainfall 1900	38 46.
Total rainfall 1901	17 46.
Total rainfall 1902	25 68.
Total rainfall 1903	36 91.
Total rainfall 1904	28 97.
Total rainfall 1905	33 47.
Total rainfall 1906	31 65.
Total rainfall 1907	32 87.
Total rainfall 1908	28 89.
Total rainfall 1909	17 54.
Total rainfall 1910	18 04.
Total rainfall 1911	22 45.
Total rainfall 1912	31 45.
Total rainfall 1913	34 23.
Total rainfall 1914	28 14.
Total rainfall 1915	26 64.
Total rainfall 1916	31 12.
Average for past 18 years, 28.18.	

Woman at the Gate.

Differences of opinion regarding the meaning of the woman at the open gate, on one of the new United States silver pieces, are numerous. One writer has it that she is out looking for the children who had promised not to "stir from the yard;" another that she is looking for the coming man; another that she came out to see the new furniture a neighbor across the road is getting in, and so on. Of course, what it really means is that, in this progressive twentieth century woman is emerging from cramped environment into larger opportunity. There is eloquent symbolism in the woman at the open gate.—Christian Science Monitor.

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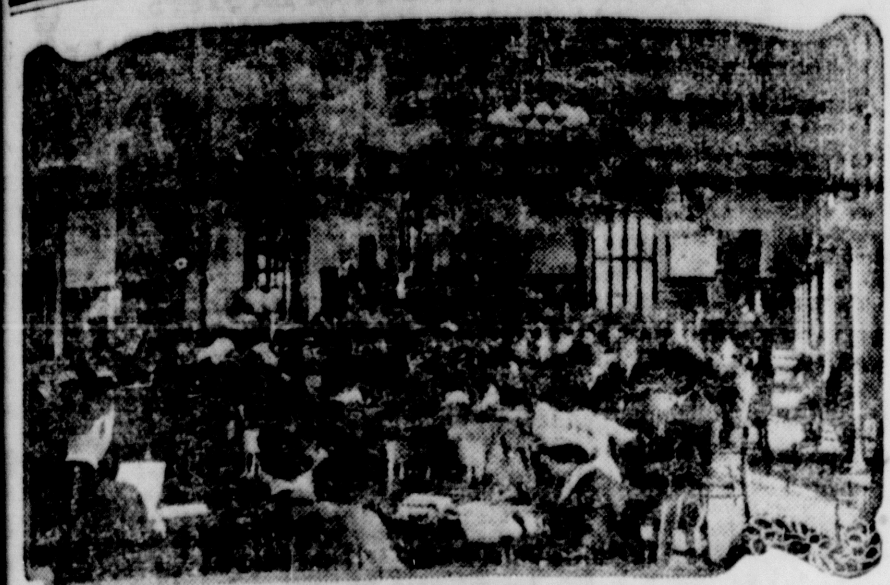
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UNIVERSITY HAS A REMARKABLE RECORD

The work of the University of Texas has begun to tell, and as it came home to the people their anxiety to have their children educated at it grew astonishing. Looking over the figures, the calculation is that there have been in attendance at this great school 6,287 girls and boys since its doors have been thrown open. There may have been a few more or less, but that is the round number. During that time there has never been but one scandal connected with the conduct of the children toward each other, and even to this day there is doubt as to its occurrence at the University.

Almost Unbelievable

With these thousands of youths of both sexes brought in social contact every day, the record is almost unbelievable, and yet there it is, true and clean. The University was sending out each year young men and women to take part in the world's affairs. Here and there some limped. But the most of them were strong and equipped. They became proof of equipment, they became evidence of the character-building of the University and they carried with them loyalty to the institution which had done so well by them. And for these reasons the attendance yearly grew.

The complaint is made continually that the institution is not properly sustained by the state. That is true, but the fact that this is so is apt to conceal the reasons why it is so. The great growth of the attendance forces the great growth of instructors; new discoveries or the developments along the old industrial lines have increased classes and forced new courses. To these must be added new instructors and new equipments, and, in fact, additional cost.

Public Not Alive to Situation

If a man will have an automobile he cannot expect it to cost no more cost to him than when he had a buggy. The whole truth of the matter is that the great school, like other schools in the State, has gone forward, as all other things, and the public is not appreciating this fact. Twenty years ago, if there were

any, there were not more than one high school in our largest towns. Now each one has two or three. And education thereby costs the public much more than it did.

The high schools in these largest towns are kept to the top notch of efficiency. New courses of study are constantly adopted in them and their cost becomes greater every year. I know of no city where any protest is made against these steps toward a greater efficiency. There is not in any of these cities any element that cries out, no rich taxpayer who would keep these greater opportunities from the poor.

University and A. & M.

The University and its branch, the Agricultural and Mechanical College, stand in the same relation to the State that the high school stands to the town. In the big towns, twenty-five years ago, property in the business sections, say around "the square," was worth from \$10 to \$50 a front foot. That same property today is worth \$1,000 a front foot. In the country, twenty-five years ago, say in the black land belt, land was worth \$25 an acre. It is now worth \$100 to \$150 an acre. It is unnecessary to go into the increased value of cattle and other property.

The State is a thousand times richer today than it was a quarter of a century ago, and the people who own this wealth ought to be willing, and are willing, if they knew, to spend their money in the ratio of their increase in wealth for the best education they can give their children.

Domestic Economy

"There is another course at the University of Texas which is not sufficiently appreciated by the people. I am not criticizing the people, but mean to convey the idea that I, being one of them—one of the ordinary unclassified kind—have not been sufficiently appreciative of the work being done by this great school. The course spoken of is that of domestic economy. Perhaps it would be better understood if it were called instruction in housekeeping and home life. It is teaching our girls not only the great lessons of how to make their homes comfortable and happy, but it is teaching girls to teach others these valuable secrets, never to be obtained by so many women by mere experience at home. The accom-

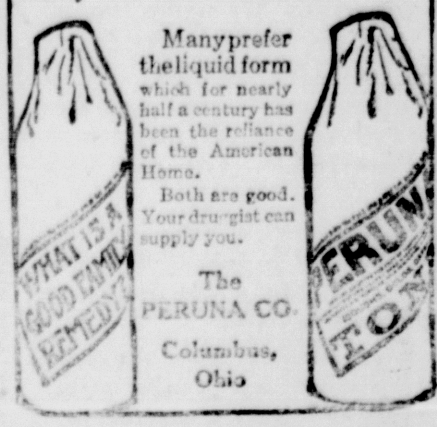
Quick Cold Relief

is usually found through the prompt administration of a mildly laxative, dispersive tonic—one that will scatter the inflammation, remove the waste, and help Nature to build up resistance.

Peruna is That Tonic.

Its action is prompt, usually very effective, and its use is without harmful effects. Every household should keep it at hand for this purpose, and every catarrhal sufferer should regularly use this reliable remedy.

The tablet form will be found very convenient. A tablet or two at the very beginning of a cold will frequently prevent its development, and these tablets may be taken regularly with beneficial results.



plished Miss Mary Gearing is at the head of this department and I have to become somewhat personal in order to emphasize the care under which teachers are selected. She is a graduate of Columbia University and has spent many of her vacations traveling in this country and Europe to obtain information and ideas for the dissemination in her life work, in which she is so greatly interested. The keynote to this work is in what she told me.

Women's Work.

"Three things are necessary for mankind—food, shelter and clothes. And it is woman's work to look after the preparation and care of them all. Therefore, why should it not be the most important thing in the world that she should know well the details of the three?"

The pupils have in their department miniature homes to arrange and change. They have a kitchen with every implement necessary for cooking and they have a laboratory in which the character of foods are determined, and they keep house, and they cook and they work in the laboratory. More than this, they are taught to understand clothing fabrics and everything pertaining to clothing. This class is throwing up breastworks against home waste and against home doctor's bills and against divorces.

Think of Benefits

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Revival Meeting.

The Nazarene church has arranged for a revival meeting embracing the last three Sundays of April, beginning on Friday night before the 3rd Sunday. Mrs. Bessie West of Glencove, Texas, will do the preaching, and her husband will lead the song service.

Sister West is a plain, earnest, zealous preacher of God's work. Every body is cordially invited, and all Christians earnestly insisted on to attend and take an active part in the salvation of the lost and the sanctification of God's Children.

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Preaching by Pastor Rev. E. R. Gentry Saturday, 7 p. m. and Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Second Sunday. Preaching by Rev. J. T. Horger at 11 a. m. 1st Sundays and at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. on 3rd Sundays. Singing and vocal music lessons by J. T. Horger at 7 p. m. 1st Sundays. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. and Young People's Meeting at 3 p. m. each Sunday. Prayer meeting at 7 p. m. every Friday. Everybody cordially invited.

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Family were down playing shopping Monday.

W. Monkhouse is home for a visit to San Antonio.

King reports the sale of an touring car to F. Kilhorn, Jr.

Mrs. Jno. Carle and Mrs. larger were Hondo visitors.

Miller for Pear Burning and other oils at Carle's Tailor Shop. 19

girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dubose, Thursday, February 1.

Mrs. Allen Graham were in the hill country Thursday.

Tires, 5,000 mile guarantee. prices. See them at City Garage.

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Wickham is here from the guest of her parents, Mrs. Ed. Parsons.

Anvil Herald to your relations elsewhere. It will be news-letter to them.

Mrs. Armine Rothe, Miss Rothe of D'Hanis, at school play here Wednesday.

Montel, Corine Ney O. B. Taylor and Joe Forded to Castroville Sunday.

B. Taylor, Joe Monkhouse Evelyn de Montel and attended the play in Sunday night.

Castroville Goat Roping Contest FEB. 16 & 17.

One mile north of Castroville at the Burell field. All contestants must mail or send their applications in advance, with a \$5.00 fee, charged each contestant, to Adolph H. Tondre, Castroville, Texas. Cash Prizes will be awarded as follows: 1st Prize, \$50; 2d \$30; 3rd \$20; 4th \$10; 5th \$5.

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Master Robert Thomas was out from San Antonio a few days the first of the week visiting friends.

A marriage license was issued to G. A. Springfield and Miss Ethel Gann, young people of Sabinal, Wednesday.

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A marriage license was issued to Eddie Ehlinger, Jr., and Miss Katie Kempf, young people of Devine, Wednesday.

The regular meeting of the County Farmers' Union will be held with the local union at Riomedina Saturday, February 10th.

T. N. Lee, the county demonstrator, attended a conference of the Southwest Texas Agents at San Antonio, Thursday returning home Friday.

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Program Junior League.

Sunday, 3 P. M., February 4.

Leader, Ruth Windrow.

Bible reading, Genesis 22, 1-12.

Song No. 19.

Silent prayer; close with Lord's Prayer.

"A Victory of Faith"—Will Ernest Newton.

"The Adorning of Masah"—Gladys Woolls.

"The Little Children in Japan"—Amy Hancock.

Catechism lesson.

Song No. 36.

Benediction.

Answer roll call with names of missionaries in Japan.

Epworth League Program.

February 4, 1917.

Leader, Miss Lola Buchanan.

Subject, "Visions and Tasks."

Opening song, 415.

Scripture reading, Joel II 28, 29; 2 Chron. XXXIV, 1-7.

Song 434.

Prayer.

Talk by leader.

"Visions"—Miss Alice Newton.

"Tasks"—Miss Willie Fly.

Special music.

Song 422.

Announcements.

League benediction.

Notice, Masons.

The regular meeting of the local lodge of Masons will be held at the hall tonight (Saturday, February 3rd. All members are urged to be present, as there is business of importance to be transacted. All visiting brethren will be welcome.

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Sheriff's Sale.

State of Texas, R. W. Gruen et al. County of Bell, vs. No. 10527. R. M. Skinner et al. In the District Court of Bell County, Texas.

Whereas, By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court of Bell County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1917, in favor of the said R. W. Gruen, L. J. Bruggman, J. W. Ernst and L. M. Raabe, and against the said R. M. Skinner, No. 10527, on the docket of said Court, I did, on the 31st day of January, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M. levy upon the following described tract or parcel of land, situated in the County of Medina and State of Texas, and belonging to the said R. M. Skinner, to-wit:

All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land in Medina County, Texas, being parts of Survey No. 65, B. S. & F. lands and a part of the Kennedy Bros. Survey, and beginning at the S. E. corner of a tract of 100 acres, conveyed by George A. Kennedy et al. to L. M. Raabe, by deed dated April 13, 1907, and recorded in Vol. A. No. 39 at page 461, et seq. deed records of Medina County, for the S. E. corner of this tract; thence N. 1/4 E. 1627 3 vrs. passed the N. E. corner of said 100 acre tract, which said 100 acres is a part of the tract herein conveyed, at 1505 vrs. the N. E. corner of this, in the E. line of a tract of 503 acres conveyed by Kennedy Bros. to R. W. Gruen; thence N. 89 1/2 W. 1296 7 vrs. to a stake for the N. W. corner of this; thence S. 1/4 W. 1505 vrs. to a stake in the S. line of the 503 acre tract; thence S. 89 1/2 E. passing the S. W. corner of said Raabe 100 acre tract, 1296 7 vrs. to the place of beginning.

And on the 6th day of March, A. D. 1917, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said date, at the Court House door in the town of Hondo, in said County, I will offer for sale, and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said R. M. Skinner, in and to said property.

Dated at Hondo, in Medina County, Texas, this 31st day of January A. D. 1917.

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The Selection of Crops.

By FLETCHER DAVIS.

Field Agent The State Department of Agriculture, in January, 1917, Number of The Southwest Farmer & Investor.

The Southwest Texas farmer who has all his land broken; who broke it as deep as the nature of his soil would permit in order to deepen his soil and enlarge the feeding zone of the roots of his crops, while at the same time, creating a greater reservoir for holding the water in his soil; who broke it as early as possible in order to catch the earlier rains and give the vegetable matter plenty of time to decompose; who by this early deep plowing has taken the first cultural steps for coping with destructive insects by breaking up the dwelling places of those that live deep down in the soil, by burying those that dwell on the surface so deeply they can not get out, and by covering up the vegetation and rendering the surface clean and leaving no hibernating quarters for others, thus exposing as many of them as possible to the elements and their natural enemies, the farmer who has done all of these things, and has disked his land after each rain, to cut up the vegetable matter and cause it to become incorporated with the soil, to put his soil in good tilth for planting and to create a soil mulch and break the capillary of the soil and thus conserve the valuable moisture for the future use of his crops, is ready to consider what crops to plant.

The selection of crops is a part of the farmer's business that should receive his most serious thought but which, unfortunately, is apt to have the least consideration of all his operations. After we have made thorough preparation of our soils in the way above indicated, having incorporated all the vegetable matter and barnyard manure available in our soil; and after having burned the grass, weeds, brush and dead timber from the fence rows, ditches and waste places in and adjoining our fields on some cold day, so as to destroy as many more of our insect pests as possible and drive those that do escape further away to seek hibernating quarters, thus lessening their chances to get back to our fields and damage our crops, let us sit down and seriously think of the selection of our crops.

Crops should be selected with four things in view, namely: Their adaptability to soil and climate; our facilities for marketing a given product; crop rotation; and crop diversification.

Just as a merchant should know what goods his customers demand and whether or not he can buy them at a price so he can sell them at a profit, the farmer should know what he can reasonably expect his soil to produce profitably under his prevailing climatic conditions. Therefore, we should study our soils and climate and the nature of the crops that we expect to grow to the end that we may know and grow only those that can be grown profitably. In this, the bulletins of our State Department of Agriculture and of our experiment stations and the personal experiences of successful farmers will be of inestimable value to us. It is a waste of time to attempt to grow such crops as it has been proven our soil and climate will not permit us to grow successfully; it is equally unwise to assume that a crop will not grow until it has been demonstrated.

The facilities for marketing our produce is an important matter to consider. More farmers have gone into bankruptcy from growing large quantities of perishable produce without having an adequate market for the same or being prepared to save the same by storage, processing or canning facilities than from any other one cause. Let us understand our markets and the methods of utilizing our products before we devote our lands and our time to the growing of a given product. This needs equal consideration whether we are growing cotton, grain and feed or other more perishable products. The supplying of the home demand is an important factor in this as well as the commercial demand and the most important factor in the event of an over-production of what we have to sell or of exorbitant prices for what we need to purchase.

For instance, we are apt to over-plant to cotton this season, forgetting two very important facts. The first is, that the high price of cotton has been due first to a short crop

and second to an abnormal demand for use as explosive material, and that, with all that, the crop on the average, on account of low yield—due to insect ravages and adverse weather conditions—has cost more than it has brought on the market. The second fact is that prices of most other products have kept pace with the price of cotton, so that the man who was fortunate enough to grow an average cotton crop and yet had to buy at prevailing market prices those things he could grow on his farm and which he had to have, did not come out ahead. Anyone who doubts this can convince himself by comparing the market quotations of the last three months of 1916 with a like period of 1915. Or, if he wants specific data, let him study the following from an Extension Service Bulletin of November 15th, as follows:

Month of November	1915	1916
Maize Heads, per ton	\$14.00	\$29.00
Corn, per bushel	.70	1.10
Peanuts, per bushel	.58	1.22
Peanut Hay, per ton	16.00	27.00
Alfalfa Hay, per ton	16.00	27.00
Rice Bran, per ton	17.00	27.00

Some of these prices have increased since November and the list might be enlarged to include nearly everything grown on the farm, and emphasizes the importance of the farmer's growing, wherever he can, such a diversity of products as will take care of the home demand. Therein and therein only lies the road to safe farming, no matter what the prevailing price of any product.

So, in the foregoing, we have given the main reason for crop diversification—the supplying as near as possible all the home needs on the home farm. This insures independence of the credit man, and the more it can be judiciously extended the greater that insurance. The growing of a variety of crops should not only have as its purpose the supplying of the family's needs but the needs of such livestock as the farm can profitably carry. This still further broadens the market for farm and garden products by enabling the farmer to convert the raw material into the finished product of the feed pen that can be converted into other food products for the home or sent to the market in other forms.

Such a selection of crops not only takes care of the home demand, but it gives a variety of products for the market, thus making sure against absolute failure should one or more crops fail. Coming on at different seasons, it brings a more regular cash income to the farm, thereby enabling the farmer to pay cash for his necessities and avoid the high cost of credit bought goods. And, distributing the labor throughout the year, it enables the farmer to tend his farm with less hired labor, thus lessening the overhead expense of operating the farm. It keeps the farmer's time employed all the year and yet does not overwork him at any time, not even in the harvest season.

These are factors to be considered in crop selection. But diversification is valuable, not for these reasons alone, but because it makes a scheme of crop rotation possible.

Crop rotation is an orderly system of crop change so that the same crop will not recur on the same land two or more years in succession. The same crop should not recur on the same land oftener than every third year and a less frequent recurrence would be preferable. Crop rotation insures better yields and makes the conservation and even the improvement of the soil possible. By following deep feeding plants with shallow feeding plants we vary the feeding zone of the plants' roots. By following crops that make large use of one mineral plant food with crops that make large use of some other we preserve the balance in the plant food supply in the soil. And by including legume crops in the scheme of rotation, we can increase the supply of nitrogen and maintain the humus content of the soil.

The recurrence of the same crop too often on the same soil has a tendency to cause our fields to become infested with insects peculiar to that crop and infect the soil with diseases peculiar to that crop. These are best avoided by the change of crops which a wise system of rotation affords. Then, too, our scientists are coming to believe that our declining yields are due not altogether to the exhaustion of the soil fertility but to the presence of plant toxins, poisonous plant substances thrown off by all growing vegetation, which so poisons the soil as not only to lessen crop yields but to produce some forms of "plant sickness." This can be avoided in no other known way save crop rotation.

So, you see, the proper selection of crops calls up for consideration many factors that must enter into our success or failure as farmers. Let's call our Farmers' Institute together, if we have one, and if we haven't one let's call our neighbors together and organize one, and let's study together the proper selection of our crops. As a community and

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individuals, let's determine what we can produce and produce most profitably on our farms with our particular soil and climate. Let's determine how we can best dispose of that produce on the market at a reasonable profit. Let's consider how we can best make our own living secure regardless of the fluctuations of the price of any product up or down. And while doing this, let's consider how we can conserve the fertility of our soil while making it produce profitable crops for us. The successful farmer is the man who can grow profitable crops on his land year after year without at the same time wearing that land out.

Finally, let us realize now rather than next fall that the man who doesn't give due consideration to the selection of his crops but rushes headlong into a large planting of cotton is taking gambler's chances at heavy odds. He runs the risk of disaster from weevils, boll worms, storms, droughts, and what-not reducing his yields to the starvation level. He runs the risk of the price of the staple going down at the critical time from causes over which he has no control, as it did in 1914. Or, if the price remains high, he is liable to have to supply his wants at such enormous prices—for things he could have produced himself but did not—as to leave him no margin of profit in his high priced cotton.

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The Man Opposed to Progress.

Some men were born to object. They are opposed to everything. The weather, the government, the roads, the streets, the food they eat, the beds they sleep in, all are objects of their unanimous disapproval. They cannot help objecting. These men are freaks and should be pitied. They are defectives whom the mental pathologist would class with the kleptomaniac. These men are sometimes deacons in the church, school trustees, and members of the city council. They are to be pitied, and altogether much less odious than their double first cousins who have grown pessimistic out of habit. But worse still is a near relative of this latter group—the ultra-conservative man who resents all kinds of innovations—"the one who sits down on the tail of progress and hollers 'Whoa!' every time anything new is started." He condemns the automobile, he votes against good roads, he objects to raising the preacher's or the teacher's salary, he says the school-house is good enough, he farms in the old way, and condemns the teaching of agriculture in the country school as impractical and unnecessary. Great fello w—this man of the wooden beam, the flail, and the tallow candle.

The most interesting fact about him is that he lives in your community. He voted against the school tax last year. He quit his work and made a house-to-house canvass against the good roads' movement this year, threatening to move out of the community if his taxes were raised. At the same time the amount of his taxes is too small to justify the collector to enter suit for it. His real and personal property, little as it is, has been on the delinquent tax list for the past three years, and besides that, he lied when he made his last rendition to the assessor. Great patriot—this man with the negative disposition—valuable citizen! Community builder! Statesman! Savior of the country!

But his tribe is passing. His kind is waning in virility and influence. He is the laughing stock of his generation. Progressive ideals in education and civic improvement have become popular. The progressive ticket is winning as never before. Better homes, better roads, better schools, and better churches are on the way to triumphant success. A brighter day is dawning for civic, educational, and domestic betterment in spite of all rebuffs from those who object.—Division of School Interests, University of Texas.

Severe Cold Quickly Cured.

"On December first I had a very severe cold or attack of the grip as it may be, and was nearly down sick in bed," writes O. J. Metcalf, Weatherby, Mo. "I bought two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it was only a few days until I was completely restored to health. I firmly believe that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is one of the very best medicines and will know what to do when I have another cold." Obtainable everywhere.

Many a man's wife dresses stylishly because his creditors can afford it.

Something Good.

Those who hate nasty medicine should try Chamberlain's Tablets for constipation. They are pleasant to take and their effect is so agreeable and so natural that you will not realize that it has been produced by a medicine. Obtainable everywhere.

Naegelin-Hoffman.

Mr. Alfred Naegelin and Miss Elma Hoffman were happily married in St. Joseph's church in Devine Tuesday at 9:30 a. m. The attendants were Mr. Adolph Hoffman and Miss Elsie Turner. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride near Laeoste. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman, Chas. Naegelin and family, Elma Ely and family, Fritz Turner and family, Mr. Luckenbach and family, Mr. Zapp and wife, Mr. Jackson and family, Mr. Vanura and family, Mr. Chasman and family, Chas. Jones and wife, Henry Meade and family, Mr. Rube and family, Mrs. Josephine Jackson, Elmer, Edwin and Lottie Jackson, Henry Ditty, Mrs. Drucks, George Hoffman and wife. Laeostville, January 28, 1917.

PRESIDENT VINSON MAKES STATEMENT

"Let me say at the outset that I am not opposed to the policy of having the sons and daughters of rich men in the University of Texas. In my judgment, there are far too few of this class of Texas boys and girls patronizing this institution. Figures recently compiled reveal the interesting fact that each year some 3,000 Texas students are registered in schools beyond the confines of this state. We may reasonably say that this figure represents to a large extent the boys and girls who go from the homes of well-to-do people of Texas for their education. It is a great pity that the sons and daughters of our rich men and women are educated altogether out of that environment in which their lives for the most part must be lived after graduation. They lose tremendously. We also lose. It is an economic problem. If the expenditures abroad of each of these students are placed at only \$500 per annum, it means that something like a million and a half dollars are annually paid to institutions outside of Texas for educational advantages which the state does not afford, or at least for advantages which some of our people feel cannot be obtained at home. But, when all of this is said, it still remains true that both from the standpoint of policy and from the standpoint of practice, the University of Texas is gaged to the requirements of the poor man, and not to the abilities of the rich man. It is a fact of tremendous significance that during the past session more than fifty per cent of the men students of this University were dependent upon themselves for the expenses of their education. This money was made either before coming to the University or while in attendance at the University. Out of the entire student body, both men and women, more than forty-two per cent paid their own expenses in the University either in whole or in part during the past session; and these self-supporting students earned during that session the total sum of \$18,000 while carrying on their University studies. Certainly the fees charged by the University itself do not demand riches for their payment, as these, including all student activities, may be paid for with the small sum of thirty dollars per year."

Mud May Be Used to Provide Cheap Houses for England

The possibility of using mud as a building material and so solving the urgent problem of providing cheap country cottages in the rural districts of England and housing accommodation in the areas where there has been a sudden influx of war workers is being made the subject of an interesting experiment at King's college for women, University of London.

Six mysterious looking walls have just been erected in the grounds at Camden Hills, each wall being composed of a different mixture of mud, with a view to testing which proves most suitable to the English climate.

In each case the earth has been subjected to a different process of preparation. In one case water glass has been added. In another soft soap, and to the earth and soft soap in another case lime has been added. A "grouting" of cement has been poured over the mud wall in yet another case, and there is one wall made of earth alone.

A Man and His Mother-in-Law

By LAURA JEAN LIBBEY

And yet I know past all doubting, truly—And knowledge greater than grief can dim—As he loves her he will love me duly. Yea, better, even better than I love him.

If every man exploded his private opinion on the subject of mother-in-law there are many who would not get for a wife the girl upon whom they had set their heart and hopes. Where there is one who never ceases being thankful to a mother-in-law for being the means of giving him the jewel of a heart mate that has crowned their lives with joy, there are others who do their best to strain the pleasant relations of a family quite as soon as they become a member of it.

If a mother who is old is left alone in the world except for her married daughter, the young wife's first sweet hope and anticipation is that her husband will consent to her bringing her mother to her home to dwell with them ever after. Her letter to her parent is full of love and sympathy. "Do come and make your home with us. The best room in the house shall be yours. You shall have every pleasure. We will strive constantly to make your declining years pass peacefully."

And the daughter means every word of it. What lonely old mother whose heart and hopes were wrapped up in her girl would hesitate to accept such a generous proffer of home and devotion? The average good-natured husband would be pleased with the addition of a family quite as soon as they become a member of it.

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Can Men Reform Woman's Dress?

By LAURA JEAN LIBBEY

Selfishness was everywhere. Greed had carried love away; Every face was marked by care—Ah! but that was yesterday.

If there is one thing above all others that a stylish woman will not confess it is that she is dressing to please the men. The truth is she craves to look her best in the eyes of admirer, lover and husband.

No one bemoans the advent of an absurd fashion more than the women who are dismayed by them, but forced into wearing them. When it comes down to the truth of the matter, men are to blame for fashion's freakishness by not rising up en masse in protestation against them, not openly, but by clever ruses. What sweetheart will feel quite satisfied with her new hooped gown if her lover remarks with a well-studied sigh, "Of course I don't know anything about women's styles, but in my eyes you look a thousand times sweeter, more girlish, in the dress you have just laid aside than in this new one. If you want to make me happy wear the other dress or a new one made on those pretty simple lines." Nine girls out of ten will brave fashion's eccentricity to look adorable in the eyes of the man they care for.

The married man has a better grasp on the situation. He need not be so careful in choosing his language; his arrows can strike home with surprising accuracy. He can adroitly shame the wife who cares for his opinion into not countenancing outlandish modes, especially in the case where she has glided past the fair and forty

period and has accumulated more than her share of avoirdupois. It is effective if the husband of such a woman throws up his hands in apparent horror when she shows him her new ruffled, hoop-skirted gown in time for the next season's fashion show.

"Now, Lucy, what could have possessed a fat woman—yes, I said a woman—like you to stand for a creature of that kind I cannot understand. You will appear to weigh in it. Couldn't you have realized that you make you seem to be years older than you really are? When we are walking together, people will stop at a casual glance that I am my mother out for an airing. I want to please me wear some built upon simple lines."

Of course the wife is thrown into a spasm of grief and tears, but dress has become so obnoxious to her she hies straightway to her fashionable modiste, ordering the hope of the bustle removed.

If all the women, young and old, who constitute society, refuse to accept this freakish fashion, or, one, the makers of styles would be their imaginations, giving a little thought to the fitness of the things they launch upon a world of women. Men, and men only, work a reformation that would be eye-opener to fashion creators.

Men should set their feet down on the fat lady wearing a dress so light that she has to be hoisted main force into a street car; and making a behooped affair means extra cars for the company, if a dozen or more hoop-skirted women of girth are to be accommodated on a car's limits, or separate cars for mere men. Pretty young things look like charming old pictures, matter what they choose to do, men must begin to frown down on fashions on girls. If girls look like men in older women will wear or die in the attempt.

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Department is in charge of our Anvil Agent for Castroville.
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is authorized to collect and receive for this paper and to whom a check for this page should be sent.

de Montel, our county attorney, who was a Castroville business man Tuesday.

and Louis Zinsmeister were from their ranch Tuesday on business.

Joe Hans made an overland trip to San Antonio the first of the week.

Mr. Rihn, A. E. Halbardier and J. Scheller were here Monday.

Mr. Scheller was here Saturday on business.

Mr. Scheller, likewise Henry and Leo and Seb. Tschirhart, were here Sunday.

Theresa Mangold and Mrs. Robt. Mangold, of Lacoste, visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Schuchart, and Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Wurzbach of Cliff, attended the funeral here of Mrs. Knoblack.

Alfred Bippert and children of Lacoste were here Monday.

W. H. Smith, health officer, of Lacoste, was here Saturday on business.

Miss Marguerite Biediger is visiting relatives at Riomedina.

Jack Haby of Utopia, is here at bedside of her sick mother, Mrs. Haby Beck, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Zimmermann and children of Hondo, visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Mehr and baby daughter settled here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haby and two children of Dunlay, visited here Sunday.

Mr. Kellar was here from Devine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ahr of the city spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Tschirhart, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Boehme of Medina, were shopping here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Weyand of Medina Lake were shopping here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Mangold, Sr., visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Kellar at Lacoste were shopping here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weyand of Devine were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rihn the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Schott of Devine, visited Mr. and Mrs. F. Kilhorn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Huegele and children of Yellow Banks, were shopping here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mangold are here in Elmhurst.

Mr. and Mrs. August Etter up the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tschirhart of Hondo, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Knoblack Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lena Burger of Bader Settlement were shopping here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Keller, of Lacoste visited here Monday.

Mr. Nick Tschirhart, Sr., of Noonan is shopping here Monday.

Rev. Mother Mary Florence of the city of the Lake, visited the sisters here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Tondre moved from the Zuercher place to the Fritz Haass place Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn were Mac-na visitors Sunday.

Mrs. August Mehlner and little daughter, Marcella, visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Christilles in Lacoste during the week.

Adolph and Willie Wurzbach of Riomedina, visited here during the week.

Dr. O. B. Taylor, Miss Evelyn de Montel and Miss Corine Ney visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Zinsmeyer and children of Dilley were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tschirhart and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Keller during the

THIS PAPER WOULD LIKE TO DO ALL YOUR JOB PRINTING WE WILL TRY TO PLEASE

KACHE AND RHEUMATISM.

Mr. Editor:

For the benefit of others, I gladly give the statement regarding the merits of Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets. Am nearly 70 years of age. I suffered from backache, rheumatism, and could not control the excretion of the kidneys. I can safely say that "Anuric" has done more for me than anything I have ever taken for these ailments.

Mrs. N. M. Fung, Dawson, Texas.

Note—"Anuric" prolongs life because old people usually suffer from hardening and thickening of walls of arteries, due to the excess of uric acid in blood.

Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., has been testing this medicine. The relief obtained by sufferers has been so satisfactory that he has placed "Anuric" with the druggists in town. If not obtainable, send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce for large trial package, or 50 cents for full treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Zimmermann and children of Hondo, visited here Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Knoblack, aged, 86 years, two months, and twenty days, died Sunday and was laid to rest in the Lutheran cemetery today (Monday) at 3 o'clock. Four sons and one daughter survive her, Gustave, Otto, Louis and Henry, and Mrs. Ida Diaz. Rev. W. Kralick, pastor of the Lutheran church, conducted the funeral service.

For a Bilious Attack.

When you have a severe headache, accompanied by a coated tongue, loathing of food, constipation, torpid liver, vomiting of partly digested food and then bile, you may know that you have a severe bilious attack. While you may be quite sick there is much consolation in knowing that relief may be had by taking three of Chamberlain's Tablets. They are prompt and effective. Obtainable everywhere.

Too many prefer to pose as bread winners rather than as bread makers.

The Best Recommendation.

The strongest recommendation any article may receive is a favorable word from the user. It is the recommendation of those who have used it that makes Chamberlain's Cough Remedy so popular. Mrs. Amanda Gierhart, Waynesfield, Ohio, writes, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in my family off and on for twenty years and it has never failed to cure a cough or cold." Obtainable everywhere.

Never Put a Croupy Child to Bed Without Giving a Dose of Foley's Honey and Tar

Mother's know it stops croup because it cuts the thick choking mucus, clears the throat of phlegm, stops the hoarse metallic cough, eases the difficult breathing, then quiet sleep.

Mrs. T. Neureger, Eau Claire, Wis., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar completely cured my boy of a very severe attack of croup. We know from experience that it is a wonderful remedy for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough."

Sold everywhere and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

Great Possibilities in Development of Texas Resources.

Fred W. Davis, commissioner of agriculture, Wednesday addressed a letter to each member of the legislature, calling attention to the wonderful agricultural possibilities of Texas, especially some of the products, many of them natural to the soil, which have received comparatively little attention in the way of development. The letter follows:

Austin, Texas, January 24.—When one studies Texas he becomes almost lost in the contemplation of her wonderful possibilities. I have often wondered what use the German government would make of this domain if she possessed it. Texas is not wonderful in her vast and fertile acres and her climate only, which bespeak untold possibilities for producing the primary necessities of life, namely, food and clothing, but she has resources almost untouched which show virginal wealth beyond the mind to grasp in practical terms.

Among the many undeveloped resources, wholly or almost wholly untouched, I wish to call your attention to a few, as an illustration.

Our southwest produces the candleilla in vast quantities, which would bring to the state millions of dollars if utilized. It is stated on good authority that Texas has enough candleilla to make her the rival of Brazil in the production of commercial wax. This same territory produces the gourd, or rubber plant, which is practically undeveloped, and should be bringing the state millions of dollars annually. California is domesticating the guayule plant as a resource of consequence. Are we less progressive?

Campfire grows abundantly over an area in Texas larger than many of our states. Why not find its commercial value and be as enterprising as the Orientals?

The bear grass and other forms of the Daggur and Yucca produce wonderful fiber, which may be converted into rope, twine, paper and various other articles. Besides, the roots make fine cosmetics and soap. This state possesses millions of acres of these plants, and they will reproduce themselves within three years after being cut down.

The prickly pear has wonderful medicinal merit, besides its value as a stock food.

The Ramie weed can be produced in Texas, and, being one of the most wonderful fibers known, should be thoroughly tested as to its practical utilization.

Sweet potatoes contain about 23 percent sugar after the water has been extracted. This is slightly more than the sugar beet. We would like to be furnished with facilities to find a practical process for making sugar out of sweet potatoes. Again, sugar beets have been bred up to where they now have more than double the amount of sugar they once contained. The same could be done with sweet potatoes.

The by-products of the cotton plant are more than three hundred, and will doubtless some day be worth more than the fiber itself. It is possible with the development of cotton by-products, which are now almost a total loss, that a quarter of a billion dollars of wealth may be added to the state annually.

It is possible for our farmers to grow their own fuel by converting products into denatured alcohol. This is being successfully done in progressive European countries, and it is possible that, through its use, the people of this state and especially of the great plains, can become independent of the Standard Oil company and of the coal barons. Wood that is rotting in our timber belt and all sawmill scraps and waste could be profitably utilized in this way. It is reported that Germany is using it in motor trucks as a general power for transmission. Such would be a check against the high cost of gasoline.

The processes for caring for our agricultural products are in their infancy, and untold waste could be averted by perfecting methods of processing. Because of a lack of this knowledge, large crops of potatoes, fruit and other perishable products almost invariably become a liability instead of an asset to our producing classes. Upon the report of a 420,000,000 bushel crop of Irish potatoes in 1915, the price went down below the marginal profit to the growers. Following that statement a good authority stated that the German empire produced a little below four times this amount and the German army was eating Irish potatoes grown in the year 1911!

The problems of insect pests and plant diseases are of enormous importance to the state. Leaving out those pests most numerous, such as the boll weevil, corn worm and chinch bug, I call your attention to the fact that the peach industry is almost a thing of the past in Texas because of scale, tree borers, curculio, brown rot and other troubles. The citrus industry is hanging in the balance in this and many other states because of the citrus canker and many other citrus diseases. The strawberry industry is already abandoned in many sections because of the white grub, red spider, pamera and leaf spot, and the Irish potato industry is threatened by the tuber moth, scab etc. To meet these problems many

other states have taken advance steps, while, because of the newness of the problems and the vast domain belonging to Texas, these problems have grown greater every year, in the spite of hard effort upon the part of the few who are working to combat them.

California appropriated more than \$50,000 annually for the insectary division of their department; Illinois, which is about one-fifth the size of Texas, has 103 institute lecturers teaching the people how to meet their difficulties; New Zealand which has about one-fourth the population of Texas, according to our last report, has 400 in her agricultural department; the state of Florida, after waiting until almost too late, appropriated more than \$150,000 out of its treasury to save their citrus industry.

The pink boll worm, the most dreaded of all cotton pests, is just across the Rio Grande, and drastic efforts, both state and national, will be required to keep it out.

Diseased fruits and vegetables from other states and the tropics are finding their way into the state, which demands close scrutiny, and perhaps the erection of fumigation establishments of several places, within the near future.

Agriculture is so preponderant in this state that any other industry is dwarfed by comparison. It also bears the major portion of our state's burdens. I, therefore, urge you to study the duties of the commissioner of agriculture; compare our wonderful assets and serious liabilities, briefly outlined in this letter; study our requests in the light of same, then vote your judgment. It will be impossible for me to attend my official duties and meet each of you personally. You are earnestly requested to visit this department.

Very truly yours,
FRED W. DAVIS,
Commissioner of Agriculture.

Lingering Coughs Are Dangerous

Get rid of that tickling cough that keeps you awake at night and drains your vitality and energy. Dr. King's New Discovery is a pleasant balsam remedy, antiseptic, laxative and promptly effective. It soothes the irritated membrane and kills the cold germs; your cough is soon relieved. Delay is dangerous—get Dr. King's New Discovery at once. For nearly fifty years it has been the favorite remedy for gripe, croup, coughs and colds. Get a bottle today at your druggist, 50c.

As a trouble-maker, a jealous woman isn't in it with a jealous man.

Sick Liver Causes Dizziness

Headache, biliousness, chronic constipation and muddy complexion are signs that your overworked liver needs Po-Do-Lax to take up a part of the burden. Po-Do-Lax is Nature's remedy, a liquid laxative derived from the May-apple, a gentle liver stimulant that increases the flow of bile and by its mildly laxative quality carries off the impurities that have clogged the intestines and aids Nature to clear the blood. Get a bottle today. At all Druggists, 50c.

You can't guard your neighbor's tongue, but you can close your ears.

Stiff, Sore Muscles Relieved

Cramped muscles or soreness following a cold or case of gripe are eased and relieved by an application of Sloan's Liniment. Does not stain the skin or clog the pores like mussy ointments or plasters and penetrates quickly without rubbing. Limber up your muscles after exercise, drive out the pains and aches of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, strains, sprains and bruises with Sloan's Liniment. Get a bottle today. At all Druggists, 25c.

Most men who are shadowed by detectives are more or less shady.

Neglected Colds Grow Worse

A cough that racks and irritates the throat may lead to a serious chronic cough, if neglected. The healing pine balsams in Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey—Nature's own remedy—will soothe and relieve the irritation, breathing will be easier, and the antiseptic properties will kill the germ which retarded healing. Have it handy for croup, sore throat and chronic bronchial affections. Get a bottle to-day. Pleasant to take. At all Druggists, 25c.

Felt Like 90, Now Like 21

Like a weak link in a chain, a weak organ enfeebls the whole body. Weak kidneys lower vitality. A. W. Morgan, Angola, La., writes: "I suffered with pains in the back. I am 43 years old, but I felt like a man of 90. Since I took Foley Kidney Pills I feel like I did when I was 21." 50c and \$1.00 sizes. Sold everywhere and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

A heroic wife is one who could talk back but refused to do it.

Cut This Out—It Is Worth Money

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds, croup, Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Sold everywhere and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

Saved Girl's Life

"I want to tell you what wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Thedford's Black-Draught," writes Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky.

"It certainly has no equal for la grippe, bad colds, liver and stomach troubles. I firmly believe Black-Draught saved my little girl's life. When she had the measles, they went in on her, but one good dose of Thedford's Black-Draught made them break out, and she has had no more trouble. I shall never be without

THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

in my home." For constipation, indigestion, headache, dizziness, malaria, chills and fever, biliousness, and all similar ailments, Thedford's Black-Draught has proved itself a safe, reliable, gentle and valuable remedy.

If you suffer from any of these complaints, try Black-Draught. It is a medicine of known merit. Seventy-five years of splendid success proves its value. Good for young and old. For sale everywhere. Price 25 cents.

CALOMEL DYNAMITES YOUR LIVER!

MAKES YOU SICK AND SALIVATES

"Dodson's Liver Tone" Starts Your Liver Better Than Calomel and You Don't Lose a Day's Work

Liven up your sluggish liver! Feel fine and cheerful; make your work a pleasure; be vigorous and full of ambition. But take no nasty, dangerous calomel because it makes you sick and you may lose a day's work.

Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel crumbles into sour bile like dynamite, breaking it up. That's when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. Listen to me! If you want to enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver

Tone tonight. Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal money-back guarantee that each spoonful will clean your sluggish liver better than a dose of nasty calomel and that it won't make you sick.

Dodson's Liver Tone is real liver medicine. You'll know it next morning because you will wake up feeling fine, your liver will be working; headache and dizziness gone; stomach will be sweet and bowels regular.

Dodson's Liver Tone is entirely vegetable, therefore harmless and can not salivate. Give it to your children. Millions of people are using Dodson's Liver Tone instead of dangerous calomel now. Your druggist will tell you that the sale of Calomel is almost stopped entirely here.

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The scientific combination of Cream and Powder. Delightful in appearance and pleasing in its effect. Used during the day it is a protection from the sun and wind. In the evening its use assures a faultless complexion.

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For the removing of Liver Spots, Freckles, Ring Worm and all kindred blemishes of the skin. It will bleach the skin in 10 days and make it as smooth and soft as a baby's.

Makes Bad Complexions Good
Good Complexions Better.

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50 AND 25 CTS.

INDIGESTION

If you are ever troubled with indigestion, Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. There are hundreds of people who have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. When you feel dull and languid after eating you may know that your digestion is faulty, unless you have eaten more than you should. Belching, sour stomach and bloating are symptoms of indigestion and are relieved by taking Chamberlain's Tablets as directed. Indigestion is usually accompanied by constipation and is aggravated by it. Chamberlain's Tablets cause a gentle movement of the bowels, relieving the constipated condition. Chamberlain's Tablets are also most excellent for biliousness. Sold everywhere at 25c.

Want a Home?

Here is a good four-room house on three nice lots in a good location with a good well and other improvements that can be had at a low price and on reasonable terms. If you want a home in D'Hanis, see R. B. REYNOLDS owner, or FLETCHER DAVIS, agent, and Manager of the

Hondo Land Company, Hondo

For Croup, Coughs and Colds

A. Baxter, Wheeler, Wisc., says: "For ten years we have used Foley's Honey and Tar in our family and consider it the best cough medicine on the market, especially for children, as they like to take it." Contains no opiates; safe for babies; effective for adults. Checks croup; stops coughs; relieves colds. Sold everywhere and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

Be sure of your aim in life before moving into a glass house.

Reason Enthroned.

Because meats are so tasty they are consumed in great excess. This leads to stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation. Revise your diet, let reason and not a pampered appetite control, then take a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets and you will soon be well again. Try it. For sale by all dealers.

Arrangements have been made with J. W. L. Hanley to do a real estate business at D'Hanis. See him at the depot at that place and talk over your real estate wants with him. Fletcher Davis.

A good scare is of more benefit to some men than good advice.

Coughs

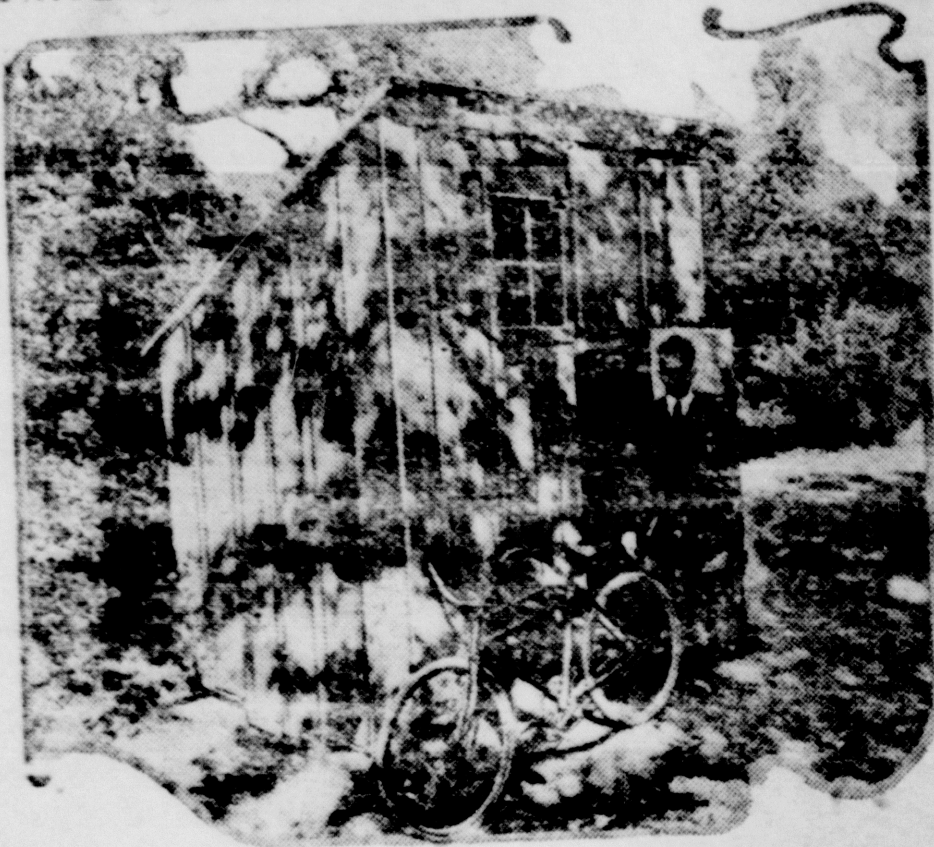
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UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS STUDENT'S "HOME"



Shack built by a student at a cost of \$14.75. He takes his meals at the University Cafeteria.

WORK OF UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS Y. M. C. A.

Employment for 107 deserving students in the University of Texas was secured by the University Y. M. C. A. employment bureau during last session. In addition to this 226 odd jobs were secured.

The total value of the work done by these students was \$11,938.40.

Although by far the majority of the jobs secured go through this bureau, these figures by no means represent the amount of money earned by students while attending the University. A large number of them are student assistants who secure their appointment after the first year by reason of excellence of the work done as students in the year previous. Then there are a great many who secure work out in the city of Austin who find out about them of themselves and never apply to the Y. M. C. A. The figures on the Employment Bureau are interesting in that they represent pretty fairly the amount of assistance received at the University of Texas by students who come without means and entirely without friends or information concerning the conditions.

"Waiting on table" heads the list of employments. From this source alone students earned \$6557 during last session. "Closermen" ranked second and "Clerks" third.

Under the head of odd jobs "Yard Work" was the most remunerative, there being \$108.00 earned in this manner. "House work", "cutting and carrying wood", "putting up stoves" and "distributing circulars" are some of the other items listed in the report of the Y. M. C. A. secretary.

A student who worked his way through the University last year writes to Mr. T. W. Currie, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of the University of Texas, "Any fellow with a good supply of grit and common sense can make his way through the University. I came here with only \$45, and with the help of the Y. M. C. A. have succeeded in making my way the first year. Every body is good to the man who is making his way."

Another student writes, "many prospective students say, 'I am going to enter the University as soon as I get money enough to pay my way.' When you get the money, perhaps you will not have the desire to go on to school. Why not come on and take a chance on the money proposition? There are hundreds of students making their expenses while they are in college. There are just two things necessary for you to do to make expenses while here: (1) Leave your name with the University Y. M. C. A.; (2) Work."

During the past year Mr. Currie received 214 applications

for employment from students. He secured places for them which netted the students during the year \$11,938.40. A boy or girl has to take a chance in coming to Austin to college with but little money, but the chance is worth taking.

Mr. Currie makes the following suggestions to men who desire to work their way through school: (1) Do not come to Austin more than five days before school opens. (2) No jobs are given before this time, and under no conditions will places be assigned before the applicant arrives. (3) We do not guarantee to find you a place to work. We will help you in every way possible. (4) Students should endeavor to bring \$75 or \$100 with them.

STUDENTS COME FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD.

The students of the University of Texas for the session of 1915-1916 came from 196 different counties in Texas, from 29 states, and from 8 foreign countries. 115 students registered from outside of Texas; Louisiana sent 14; New Mexico 10; Oklahoma, 10; Illinois, 6; Mississippi, 6; New York, 5; Tennessee, 5; Alabama, 5; Arkansas, 5; and smaller numbers from other states. Austria, Bohemia, Brazil, Denmark, Hawaii, Mexico, Panama, and Persia were represented in the student body. Omitting Travis County, Bexar County led with 159 students; Dallas came next with 122; then followed Tarrant with 74; Harris, 66; Bell, 51; Galveston, 43; McLennan, 40; Johnson, 40; Grayson, 36; Smith, 35; El Paso, 33. The following counties sent between twenty and thirty students: Anderson, Bastrop, Burnet, Caldwell, DeWitt, Edin, Harrison, Hays, Hill, Jefferson, Elam, Navarro, Tom Green, Williamson. Counties sending between ten and twenty students were Angelina, Austin, Bee, Bosque, Brown, Collin, Coryell, Denton, Erath, Falls, Fannin, Fort Bend, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Hale, Hamilton, Houston, Hunt, Jones, Lamar, Lampasas, Limestone, Nacogdoches, Nolan, Nueces, Palo Pinto, Parker, Potter, Robertson, Runnels, Rusk, Taylor, Uvalde, Val Verde, Van Zandt, Washington, Webb, Wichita, Wilson, Wood.

As would be expected, a very large majority of the students in the University of Texas are native born. Of the 2724 students registered the past year 2233 are native Texans. 52 were born in foreign countries, 12 having been born in Mexico and 10 in Germany. Other foreign countries represented are Austria, Brazil, China, Denmark, England, France and Russia. 40 of the students were born in Missouri, 31 in Alabama, 29 in Tennessee, 28 in Illinois, 28 in Louisiana, 27 in Mississippi, 20 in Arkansas, 19 in Iowa, 15 in Ohio, 14 in Georgia, 14 in Indiana, 14 in Kansas, 14 in Kentucky, 14 in Oklahoma, 10 in New York, and small numbers in about twenty other states.

WHY YOU ARE NERVOUS

The nervous system is the alarm system of the human body. In perfect health we hardly realize that we have a network of nerves, but when health is ebbing, when strength is declining, the same nervous system gives the alarm in headaches, tiredness, dreamful sleep, irritability and unless corrected, leads straight to a breakdown. To correct nervousness, Scott's Emulsion is exactly what you should take; its rich nutriment gets into the blood and rich blood feeds the tiny nerve-cells while the whole system responds to its refreshing tonic force. It is free from alcohol. Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

This Old Soldier Is Still in Line. Goes to Memphis Reunion and Marches Three Miles in Big Parade—Gains 13 Pounds.

"If it had not been for that Tanlac I couldn't have gone to the confederate reunion at Memphis on the 8th of October and marched a foot for nearly three miles in the big parade," said Frank B. Kendrick, who lives at 4800 Charlotte Avenue, Nashville, Tenn. Mr. Kendrick is one of Nashville's oldest and best known citizens.

As a member of Company I, second Kentucky Cavalry, Basil Duke's Regiment, General John B. Gordon's command, Mr. Kendrick saw service throughout the Civil War, and was wounded four different times.

"During the winter," said Mr. Kendrick, "I suffered intensely with rheumatism, and when springtime came I went all to pieces. I had just about made up my mind that my end was not very far off. I looked like I was on the verge of a general physical decline, and I had about despaired of ever walking again. I am seventy years of age, have fought a good fight and have proven my record, and was ready to go. But since I got hold of Tanlac I have set my head to round out ninety years, and from the way I feel now I believe I will do it. Before I began taking this medicine I was rapidly losing what little strength and flesh I had, and was so weak and debilitated it was all I could do to walk from the bed to the chair, and even that required great exertion. I had no appetite at all, couldn't sleep to do any good and was awfully nervous. My flesh seemed to dry and I suffered a great deal with headache.

"I doctored and doctored, but did not show any sign of improvement. I attributed my failure to get relief to my old age and declining physical powers. But I made a bad guess, because after taking Tanlac two weeks I felt better and younger than I had felt in years. I am now on my ninth bottle, and am actually thirteen pounds heavier than I was before I began taking Tanlac. My clothes were too large—now they are too small, and I guess I will have to buy clothes that will fit me comfortably. To make a long story short—the medicine just seemed to fill me with new life and energy and put me right on my feet. I have a fine appetite now.

"As I told you before, I can now walk anywhere, and have thrown my cane aside, because I don't need it any more, except for bad eye-sight. I spent four days in Memphis at the Reunion, and just tramped around all over town with the boys. All round were men who gave out during the parade but at the end I was right there, and didn't feel the least bit tired. I just got back a few days ago, and I am really glad to tell you what Tanlac has done for me. If I had the money I would buy every old soldier a bottle of Tanlac, because I believe it would add years to their lives."

Tanlac is sold in Hondo by—W. H. Andrews.

Cabinet Sentinel Siftings.

Mr. Vannatta went to Hondo Wednesday after spending a week here being fitted to us a preparation for the Johnson G. act. We understand that he was quite successful.

Mr. and Mrs. Marks and bride arrived today evening from their honeymoon trip to San Antonio, Seguin, San Marcos and other points. Mr. and Mrs. Margulies of Dallas were with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Margulies and son of Dallas, who have been visiting Mr. B. Marks and family for several weeks, returned Tuesday to Dallas. Mrs. Margulies is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Marks.

Notice.

Owing to our being engaged in overhauling and installing improvements to machinery the Holloway Gin and Mill will be closed down until further notice.

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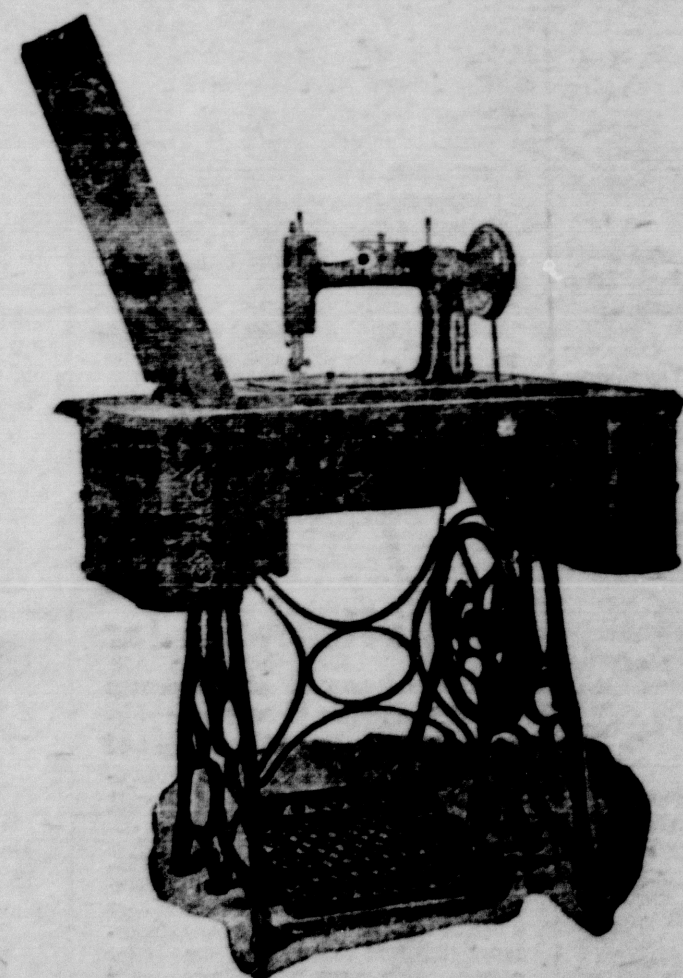
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